

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The glory and the promise of our state and nation rests in the minds and in the visions of our youth, who truly have so much to offer...and a sound education allows our children to pursue their dreams and to become all that they want to be; and,

WHEREAS, Since its organization in 1847, The Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod has stressed excellence in education...and today serves a church body consisting of over 6,000 congregations across the country--including 111 congregations in South Dakota; and,

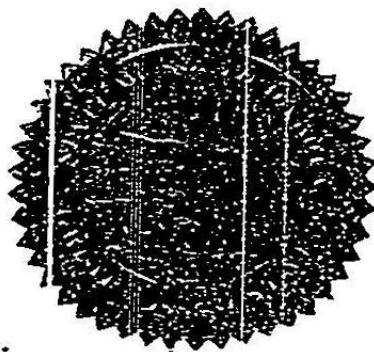
WHEREAS, The Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod has historically supported quality public and parochial schools, and has sought to help to foster and nurture creative cooperation and understanding for the good of all students and, indeed, all of our citizens; and,

WHEREAS, South Dakota is pleased to join with the Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod in celebrating "Lutheran Schools Week," and we also want to recognize the many dedicated teachers and administrators of these schools who work with students and parents to enhance the students' learning experiences and growth into adulthood while fostering a tradition of commitment and caring;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 4 through 10, 1990, as

LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK

in South Dakota, and do commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Thirteenth Day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety


GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE